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HELD TO GRAND JURY.

Lon Robinson Has His Examining Trial at Hardinsburg For An Alleged Attempt to Commit Fraud in Last Election.

EVIDENCE HEARD MONDAY BY JUDGE DOWELL

The trial of Lon Robinson, charged with preventing an election from being held in the Hudson precinct in this county, last November, came up before Judge Dowell last Monday.

The warrant charged Robinson with the offense of unlawfully, wilfully and feloniously attempting to and did prevent voters from casting their ballots at the regular November election, 1915. By reason of said act, said election was not held, and the voters were not permitted to cast their ballots at said time and place.

Mack H. Quiggins was the first witness called. He said he was judge at the election held at Hudson precinct November 7, 1915. He arrived there at 6 o'clock a. m. He did not see the clerk, Lon Robinson, there when he arrived there. The other officers were there. Robinson came about 7 o'clock with the ballot book. Mercer took Robinson's place as clerk, as he was a better penman. Two ballots were voted and it was discovered that the rest of the ballots, 137 in number, had been voted. Robinson would not let us proceed with the voting on account of the condition of the ballots. Ballots were voted before they came to Robinson. We wanted to go ahead with the election. We decided to get information from Hardinsburg as to what to do. We were told to go ahead and vote and mark the ballots defaced, in red ink. Witness said he wanted to proceed with the election but Robinson was not willing to do so. We then put the book in house and locked it up.

Geo. Royalty was the next witness. He said he was Sheriff of the election at Hudson. Was there at 6 o'clock. Mercer and Quiggins were there. We waited for Robinson some time. He came about 7 o'clock. A number of voters were there ready to vote. We were sworn in and Mercer opened the poll book and we signed up. Two votes were cast when we discovered that ballots had been voted. We discussed the matter of going ahead with the election. Quiggins said he would telephone to Hardinsburg for instructions. They instructed him to mark ballots with red ink and go ahead with the election. Robinson said he would not allow it. It looked as though there would be trouble. We went inside to discuss it. Robinson still said he thought it would not be advisable to go ahead. We were all willing but Robinson.

Geo. Lucas was the next witness. He was challenger. Saw Lon Robinson there. No election held. Can't say that I know why it was not held. Two votes cast. Ballots found voted. Did not know then what to do, and was nervous and excited. Robinson said to them: "I turn book over to you, do what you please." We then telephoned Hardinsburg for information. Quiggins went. He had information to mark ballots with red ink and go ahead.

Robinson did not agree. Dr. Hall was there and said: "I'm behind Robinson," (ruled out by Judge Dowell). Then we agreed under the condition of things it was best to have the election dismissed.

D. J. Quiggins was the next witness. He said he was 55 years old; that he was at Hudson on election day. He saw Lon Robinson there. He, Quiggins, did not vote because there was no election held. Witness was very anxious to tell what Dr. Hall said but he was ruled out.

James A. Paul said he went to Hudson to vote but could not on account of no election held. He saw Lon Robinson there. Never heard him say a word. Other voters there. Saw Robinson, Royalty and Quiggins.

Jesse Fraize said he was at Hudson on election day to vote. Said he did not vote. He saw Robinson there but did not hear him say a word about the election.

Attorney W. S. Bail was called to the stand. He said he had a conversation over the phone with Robinson. Judge Moorman was present while the conversation was going on. Our instructions to the election officers were to go ahead and use good ballots as far as they would go, then use the spoiled ballots, marked in red ink, and let results take care of themselves.

The case was closed here. The attorneys agreed to submit the case without argument.

Judge Dowell held the defendant in \$250 bond to the grand jury.

There were two other warrants against Robinson for interfering with the election and failure to perform his duty as election officer. His bond in these cases were fixed at \$100 each. Robinson gave bond.

H. C. Murray, County Attorney, and Gus Brown were attorneys for the Commonwealth. Gen. D. R. Murray was attorney for defendant.

Stag Dinner.

Hugh N. Wood was host at a stag dinner given at his home last evening in this city. The party was arranged for him as a surprise in honor of his birthday by Mrs. Wood. Covers were set for Harry S. Williams, David B. Phelps, Rev. Mr. Powell and Mr. Wood.

The Breckenridge News will be pleased to receive items, such as engagements, wedding announcements, and other items of personal interest for the Society Column. The name of the sender and the address should be given with the item—not for publication—but as a matter of authority.

MEXICAN CHIEF REPLIES TO NOTE

Carranza Will Punish Murderers of Americans.

ISSUE BEFORE CONGRESS

Senate Foreign Relations Committee Will Take Up the Matter of Confirming Fletcher's Appointment as Ambassador—Some Opposition.

Washington, Jan. 17.—General Carranza has replied to the American note demanding the punishment of the bandits who perpetrated the wholesale massacre of seventeen Americans.

The message of Consul Stillman relating the reply of Carranza was:

"Your note relating to the massacre of Americans at Santa Isabel, received and immediately placed before General Carranza, who said he had already issued orders for the immediate pursuit, capture and punishment of those responsible for the atrocity.

"He stated that he believed that this outrage committed was connected directly with Villa and done especially to provoke international troubles at this time. He said that he had declared that those guilty be punished by death. He says that nobody can lament more than he that such atrocity occurred, but that even in the best regulated states outbreaks of disorder and lawlessness may cause destruction of property and loss of life.

"He says he is expecting full reports from General Trevino and that all efforts will be made to protect the Americans and any other foreigners who may be in the district. His belief is that the massacre was premeditatedly made by a band of Villistas."

The state department is still awaiting a report from Consul Edwards at Juarez on the inquiries of Secretary Lansing as to the consul's authority for stating that he had been hindered from Washington to get assurances of protection from Carranza people for foreigners.

Secretary Lansing is expected to submit to congress within a few days all information regarding the massacre and conditions in Mexico.

Mexico will be the basis of formal consideration by the senate foreign relations committee beginning next Wednesday, when the nomination of Henry Prather Fletcher as ambassador to General Carranza's government will be taken up. Administration leaders are hopeful that a report recommending confirmation will be made to the senate without delay. Several opposition senators, however, have announced they will oppose such a step vigorously, and it generally is admitted nothing can be done toward confirmation until the Republicans have been appeased by an answer from President Wilson to Senator Fall's resolution asking for reasons which led to recognition of Carranza.

Secretary Lansing has promised to have data in compliance with that resolution ready for the president early this week and Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee, hopes the president's reply will be sent to the senate in time for the committee meeting Wednesday.

Discussion of the Mexican problem on the floor of the senate and house is expected to arise from consideration of various intervention resolutions. No committee action on such resolutions is probable at this time. Senator Gore of Oklahoma, Democrat, is considering submitting a resolution to direct the use of American armed forces as aids to the Carranza forces in protecting American citizens in a neutral zone in Mexico.

Election of Masonic Officers.

The Cloverport Masonic Lodge have elected the following officers to serve them the ensuing year: M. M. Denton, Master; W. A. Cockrell, Senior Warden; H. J. Yeager, Junior Warden; Chas. Hemly, Senior Deacon; Chas. Jackson, Junior Deacon; H. H. Hardin and R. T. Polk, Stewards; Joe Allen, Tyler; R. L. Oe ze, Secretary; A. B. Skilman, Treasurer.

Special Meeting.

The Social and Recreation Department of the Epworth League will have charge of the service Sunday evening at 6:15 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

The Fad.

Knicker—Tired?
Bocker—Yes, I was up all night skating the baby.—New York Sun.

LOOSE LEAF SALES

Prices Lower Owing to Soft Order and Quality of Offerings. Breckenridge Sale Next Friday.

The tobacco sales at the loose leaf houses last week were not up to the standards of other sales, but it was owing to the condition and quality of the tobacco offered. Our sales have been better and the prices ruling higher than at other places for same types of tobacco. Between \$60,000 and \$70,000 worth of tobacco has passed over these floors, putting money into the hands of farmers when there was no other way to realize money on their crops. The loose leaf houses have been a God send to the tobacco growers in that they have furnished a market at home when there was no other way of disposing of the weed. True that the prices have been low, but they were as good as other markets.

The loose leaf plan of selling has come to stay and the sooner the growers realize this and grade their tobacco to suit the wants of the buyers the better will be the prices.

We give below a list of the sales sold over the Breckenridge and Glen Dean floors last week:

Sales Dark Leaf, Lugs and Trash at Glen Dean Loose Leaf Warehouse January 12.

James Berry and Fentress sold 10 baskets, 2,455 pounds, at \$7.80, \$7.70, \$7.80, \$6.60, \$4.12, \$2.60, \$2.70, \$2.70, \$2.70, \$2.70.

L. J. Henderson and Cooper sold 7 baskets, 1,390 pounds, at \$7.10, \$5.60, \$7.70, \$7.10, \$4.60, \$5.40.

Sernon and Dean sold 5 baskets, 1,575 pounds, at \$4.60, \$2.70, \$2.80, \$2.80, \$2.80.

Dean and Sernon sold 4 baskets, 1,155 pounds, at \$4.50, \$4.50, \$4.70, \$3.70.

R. A. Lucas sold 4 baskets, 1,535 pounds, at \$2.70, \$3.50, \$3.50, \$3.10.

Clint Willis sold 4 baskets, 860 pounds, at \$4.10, \$3.30, \$3.60, \$2.70.

Lee Henderson sold 5 baskets, 915 pounds, at \$3.20, \$3.50, \$2.80, \$3.50, \$3.50.

Milbur Simmons sold 5 baskets, 825 pounds, at \$2.90, \$3.30, \$3.30, \$3.20, \$2.70.

Bill Cannon sold 6 baskets, 1,820 pounds, at \$2.70, \$2.70, \$3.40, \$4.80, \$4.50, \$3.50.

F. J. Matthews sold 3 baskets, 480 pounds, at \$4.40, \$3.30.

Thos. Matthews sold 8 baskets, 1,830 pounds, at \$4.50, \$5.60, \$3.10, \$2.80, \$2.80, \$2.70, \$2.70, \$2.70.

Jas. Dean sold 13 baskets, 1,375 pounds, at \$7.50, \$8.60, \$9.80, \$6.70, \$5.20, \$5.50, \$5.50, \$7.50, \$8.10, \$9.10, \$9.80, \$7.50.

Bailey and White sold 5 baskets, 1,455 pounds, at \$2.70, \$2.70, \$3.30, \$3.80, \$4.40.

E. B. Baxter sold 7 baskets, 1,157 pounds, at \$7.10, \$3.30, \$5.30, \$9.80, \$8.10, \$7.20, \$3.30.

Harvey Smith sold 6 baskets, 1,085 pounds, at \$8.10, \$8.50, \$3.40, \$5.60, \$2.80.

Breckenridge Loose Leaf Sale.

T. S. Grey sold 8 baskets, 2,230 pounds, at \$4.50, \$9.80, \$3.10, \$7.80, \$7.70, \$7.10.

John Hardin sold 2 baskets, 130 pounds, at \$3.60, \$3.30.

Thos. O'Riley and Park Miller sold 5 baskets, 1,575 pounds, at \$4.10, \$5.40, \$3.10, \$2.70.

Thos. Withers sold 2 baskets, 830 pounds, at \$8.80.

Arnes and Sago sold 9 baskets, 3,175 pounds, at \$4.40, \$4.88, \$8.80, \$3.10, \$3.10, \$3.30.

D. J. Alexander sold 1 basket, 270 pounds, at \$4.10.

J. L. Gause sold 1 basket, 485 pounds, at \$3.90.

Jas. Hinton & Son sold 4 baskets, 1,765 pounds, at \$9.80, \$6.10, \$6.10, \$6.10.

J. B. Mattingly sold 4 baskets, 1,460 pounds, at \$7.40, \$6.50, \$3.10, \$5.50.

Geo. Simmons sold 5 baskets, 1,130 pounds, at \$6.40, \$4.70, \$3.60, \$3.60, \$3.10.

Andrew Gilbert sold 2 baskets, 385 pounds, at \$5.20, \$7.10.

Carrence Macy sold 2 baskets, 895 pounds, at \$9.80.

Cal Thurman sold 4 baskets, 410 pounds, at \$7.70, \$8.90, \$6.30, \$5.50.

Willie Seaton sold 1 basket, 320 pounds, at \$8.80.

Val Duke sold 6 baskets, 2,075 pounds, at \$5.30, \$4.10, \$8.90, \$3.10, \$5.10.

Jas. Tate sold 7 baskets, 2,255 pounds, at \$10.90, \$4.20, \$5.50, \$6.70, \$6.40, \$4.40, \$4.40.

A. T. Beard sold 6 baskets, 2,585 pounds, at \$4.90, \$5.70, \$7.30, \$3.30, \$3.30, \$4.90.

Bruce Miller sold 3 baskets, 1,025 pounds, at \$3.50, \$3.10, \$2.70.

Laurence Miller sold 2 baskets, 350 pounds, at \$3.40, \$2.70.

C. Sahlie sold 5 baskets, 1,080 pounds, at \$3.30, \$3.60, \$5.10, \$5.10, \$3.30.

T. L. Calahan sold 4 baskets, 1,320 pounds, at \$2.70, \$4.30, \$4.20, \$3.20.

Paul Hendrick sold 3 baskets, 660 pounds, at \$2.70, \$7.80.

Clarence Beard sold 3 baskets, 770 pounds, at \$3.50, \$3.60, \$3.10.

J. C. and S. T. DeJarnette sold 1 basket, 155 pounds, at \$2.80.

J. D. Mings sold 3 baskets, 1,145 pounds, at \$3.10, \$6.30, \$2.70.

Arms and Eskridge sold 6 baskets, 1,140 pounds, at \$3.90, \$5.80, \$3.10, \$6.70, \$7.10, \$3.30.

R. Crutcheloe sold 7 baskets, 2,250 pounds, at \$8.80, \$5.10, \$4.10, \$3.20, \$3.10, \$2.80.

H. M. Beard sold 5 baskets, 2,215 pounds, at \$2.80, \$2.80, \$2.80, \$2.80, \$2.80.

Paul Hale sold 1 basket, 305 pounds, at \$8.60.

T. S. Grey sold 5 baskets, 1,555 pounds, at \$6.20, \$7.30, \$7.10, \$6.50, \$5.40.

Barney DeJarnette sold 6 baskets, 2,265 pounds, at \$8.40, \$8.50, \$8.80, \$5.60, \$4.20, \$2.90.

Burley Sales.

Carman Crutcheloe sold 4 baskets, 1,065 pounds, at \$4.90, \$3.60, \$5.60, \$6.50.

A. T. Beard sold 2 baskets, 435 pounds, at \$2.70, \$3.30.

Thos. Beard sold 7 baskets, 1,865 pounds, at \$3.40, \$3.30, \$3.20, \$3.10, \$3.90, \$5.60, \$8.80.

Lonnie Allen sold 4 baskets, 1,375 pounds, at \$3.10, \$3.52, \$4.70, \$3.50.

Beard and Dooley sold 4 baskets, 1,035 pounds, at \$7.40, \$3.60, \$3.60.

Stinnett and Frank sold 7 baskets, 990 pounds, at \$5.60, \$5.60, \$3.80, \$3.10, \$2.50, \$2.70.

Beard and Dooley sold 1 basket, 325 pounds, at \$6.50.

C. Davis sold 1 basket, 310 pounds, at \$2.50.

Ernest Kinnison sold 5 baskets, 1,235 pounds, at \$8.90, \$8.70, \$8.80, \$5.30, \$3.10.

Beard and Dooley sold 7 baskets, 1,405 pounds, at \$4.40, \$3.30, \$3.20, \$4.40, \$9.80.

Mart Sutton sold 7 baskets, 485 pounds, at \$6.10, \$4.10, \$8.50, \$13.80, \$8.80, \$13.

Death of Mrs. Hinsdale.

Mrs. Josephine Hinsdale died at Portland, Oregon, January 15. She leaves two sons, George H. Hinsdale and Charles Hinsdale, and one daughter, Mrs. Veva Hinsdale. Mrs. Hinsdale was the sister of Mrs. A. R. Fisher, of Cloverport.

Johnston-Coombs.

Miss Evelyn Johnston, of Shelbyville, Ky., and Mr. Curtis Coombs, of Owensboro, were joined in wedlock at Louisville at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by Rev. J. J. Clear, of the Market street Baptist Tabernacle. Miss Johnston is an attractive young lady and is the daughter of Mr. Edward Johnston, a prominent farmer of Shelbyville. Mr. Coombs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Coombs, and is highly respected barber. The young couple arrived in the city from Louisville, to be guests for sometime of Mr. Coombs' parents, in Locust street—Owensboro Messenger.

BRECKENRIDGE MAN

Will Give \$1,500 Back to the State. Loves the Right and His Sister Better Than Money, After All.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 17.—Claiming that his conscience hurt him because he had been collecting money from the state for the support of his resident of Breckenridge county was here to see about refunding the money to the state.

In discussing the matter with Secretary of State Lewis the man said that he came to the conclusion that it was his duty to provide for his sister and that he had made up his mind to refund the money received from the state, which he estimated at about \$1,500.

Mr. Lewis advised him that he could learn the exact amount due the state by consulting the records in the county clerk's office.

Graduation Examination.

The common school graduation examination for Breckenridge county, Kentucky, will be held at Hardinsburg on Friday and Saturday, January 28 and 29, beginning at nine o'clock a. m. Applicants please be on time.

J. W. TRENT, Superintendent.

NOTED SPECIALIST

Tells How to Fight the Grip—Assistant Secretary of Commerce Publishes Suggestions of Chicago Physician.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Assistant Secretary of Commerce Sweet today published suggestions of Dr. Robert H. Babcock, of Chicago, a noted blind specialist in heart and lung diseases, with reference to the grip epidemic which is sweeping over the country. Dr. Babcock says the germ that is responsible for the nation-wide illness is not grip, but a modification, or strain of the pneumonia germ, and his recommendations follow:

Keep regular hours, get sufficient sleep, keep the feet dry and avoid everything tending to impair the general health or weaken resistance. Keep away from people who are coughing or sneezing. For their own good as well as the safety of others they should be isolated in a well-ventilated room.

Spray your nostrils and throat night and morning with a weak antiseptic solution. Borolytol diluted with three parts of water will serve this purpose and may be used both as a wash for the nose and gargle for the throat.

If you get this infection, stay in bed. Take plenty of bicarbonate of soda, water and fruit juices, and do not go out so long as the infection persists in nose and throat, or so long as you have any temperature.

ASAFOETIDA CALLED SPECIFIC

Fifteen Grains and a Period in Bed Said to Repulse Grip.

While the grip is still raging in Louisville, and in anticipation of more to come when the snow now on the ground becomes slush, it will interest thousands in Kentucky and adjoining States to know that there is a simple specific. It is asafotida.

This is vouched for by Dr. E. G. Dietz, head of The Pines Sanatorium, who speaks from his experience at Dwight, Ill., in the early nineties, when there was a very severe epidemic, and in similar subsequent epidemics.

Dr. Dietz says in the first outbreak he and his associates at Dwight treated successfully 500 or 600 cases of grip, giving in each case fifteen grains of asafotida in five grain pills, one pill each three hours. The patient, of course, was kept in bed while under treatment, since the remedy induced sweating among other things.

MRS. AMANDA JOLLY

Leaves One Hundred Immediate Descendants. Funeral Held at Sample. Mother of Graham Jolly.

Mrs. Amanda Jolly, of Sample, died January 10 at the advanced age of 84. Her pastor, the Rev. S. K. Hunt, preached her funeral at the M. E. Church. A very large congregation, mostly relatives of the deceased, were present.

Nearly one hundred children and grandchildren survive her, the eldest is 66 years old, and the youngest, an infant. Out of this host of descendants is but one boy, Percy Jolly, among the grandchildren, bearing the name of Jolly. He being the son of Graham Jolly, of Cloverport.

Mrs. George Harris Dead.

Mrs. George Harris died of apoplexy Saturday at her home in the country Cloverport. The funeral was held Monday morning and the burial took place in the graveyard on the C. W. Moorman farm.

Mrs. Harris was the wife of Magistrate Harris, well-known farmer of this community. She was sixty-eight years of age and was a devoted wife and mother.

Aged Woman Dead.

Mrs. Amanda Jolly died Tuesday of last week from a complication of diseases at her home in Sample, Ky. Mrs. Jolly was 87 years of age and the mother of fifteen children, six of whom survive.

Good Medicine For the Sick.

Mr. Babbage: Please find enclosed my check to pay for Breckenridge News for 1916. Have been sick all fall and the News is so interesting am always glad to get it. Mrs. A. S. Allen, Chenault, Ky.

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Let the children have a Brownie. The children always enjoy taking pictures; it adds to the pleasures of the day; besides, taking pictures is clean educational fun.

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